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1 IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF OKLAHOMA

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3 W.A. DREW EDMONDSON, in his)

capacity as ATTORNEY GENERAL)

4 OF THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA and)

OKLAHOMA SECRETARY OF THE)

5 ENVIRONMENT C. MILES TOLBERT,)

in his capacity as the)

6 TRUSTEE FOR NATURAL RESOURCES)

FOR THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA)

7)

Plaintiffs,)

8)

vs.) 4:05-CV-00329-TCK-SAJ

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TYSON FOODS, INC., et al.,)

10)

Defendants.)

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13 VIDEOTAPED DEPOSITION OF RAY WEAR

14 Taken at the law offices of Mitchell, Williams,

15 Selig, Gates & Wooyard, 5414 Pinnacle Point Drive, Suite

16 500, Rogers, Arkansas 72758, on July 26, 2007, at 9:44

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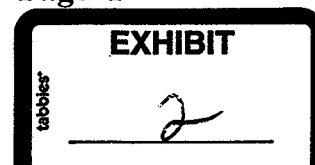
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1 Q. Does Peterson Farms own any houses in which its
2 chickens are maintained or raised?

3 A. Yeah. They -- it's -- yes, they do.

4 Q. What kinds of houses do they own?

5 A. Breeder houses.

6 Q. Okay. Do they own any broiler houses?

7 A. No.

8 Q. Did they at one time, Peterson Farms, Inc., own
9 broiler houses?

10 A. Not to my knowledge, no.

11 Q. Even back before Evans & Evans came into the
12 picture?

13 A. No.

14 Q. Okay. So Peterson Farms, in its broiler operation,
15 has always contracted with other persons to grow its
16 broilers? Either would sell them to them and buy them
17 back or actually contract with the growers, independent
18 growers, to take care of their chickens until they were
19 ready for processing?

20 A. Yes.

21 Q. Are pullets houses separate houses from hens?

22 A. Yes.

23 Q. Does Peterson Farms, Inc. own pullet houses?

24 A. For the breeder operation, yes.

25 Q. Does Peterson Farms, Inc. own any of these kinds of